Developing and using the scientific evidence base for tackling challenges of Climate Change for Human Health

There are many, direct and indirect, pathways through which climate change impacts health. This session is organised by the InterAcademy Partnership (IAP), the global network of academies of science, engineering and medicine, together with its regional partner the network for African Science Academies (NASAC), and draws on a current IAP project to share knowledge within and between regions and to identify critical evidence gaps. The emerging outputs from this collaborative work provide an important bridge between science and policy on priorities to be addressed in climate change transformational solutions for mitigation and adaptation for resilient health systems.

Analysis in Africa exemplifies the diversity of experience, identifying common factors while recognising the importance of local contexts and the interaction of climate variables with other determinants of health and well-being, including gender. The urgency for action by policy makers and all stakeholders has been sharply accentuated by the converging crises of climate change and COVID-19.

Discussion will be encouraged on quantifying transformational and equitable solutions, clarifying adaptation limits, and prioritising mitigation actions that bring health co-benefits.

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